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In Reply, Please Refer to
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Mr. James Horwitz
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Dear Mr. Horwitz:

I have read your column "Between The Lines" which appeared in the March 16, 1977 edition of the Las Virgenes Independent Valley News.

In the interest of accuracy, I must advise you that Harry Dean has never been an undercover operative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has never been an informant of this Bureau, and has never been instructed to perform any act on behalf of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Furthermore, I can tell you that the Federal Bureau of Investigation has never investigated the John Birch Society.

I am bringing the above information to your attention. You might consider furnishing this information to the readers of your column.

I would like to point out that had you contacted the Federal Bureau of Investigation prior to publication of your column, the above information would have been available to you.

Very truly yours,

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